Application No.: 10/003,248

Docket No.: 21065-00160-US

<u>REMARKS</u>

In response to the final Office Action and the subsequent interview with the Examiner, applicant wishes to expedite the prosecution of the present application by placing it in condition for allowance. Claims 1, 2, 5, 12, 13 and 16 were rejected on the basis of 35 U.S.C. §103. These claims are being cancelled.

Claims 18-21 have been allowed.

Claims 3, 4, 6, 14, 15, 17, and 22 were objected to but were indicated as being allowable if rewritten to no longer depend from rejected claims. These claims have been appropriately amended so that they are now allowable.

Thus, all the claims as currently amended (3, 4, 6, 14, 15, 17-22) are in condition for allowance.

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 21065-00160-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted.

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